6 If the sale is not confirmed, the amount paid will be refunded.

7. The accepted bidder shall pay another one-fourth of the sale amount within fifteen days of the intimation of the confirmation of the sale and execute an agreement binding himself to pay the balance of the sale amount before the 15th December 1927 and binding himself to observe the conditions mentioned hereunder. In default, the acceptance of the bid will be revoked, the money already paid forfeited, and the right resold.

Further conditions to be entered in the agreement are :—

(*a*) The lessee shall hold himself responsible for the cutting or injuring of any other trees on the plea of collecting the produce. The lessee shall be held personally responsible for the acts of his agents or servants.

(*b*) The lessee shall furnish a list of sub-contractors, agents or servants who may be appointed by him for the collection of the produce.

(*c*) The lessee shall work out the lease himself and not transfer or sub-let it to others without the previous sanction of the District Forest Officer.

(*d*) The lessee, his agents or servants shall render all possible help in preventing the occurrence of fires in forests in which he or they may be working and render prompt assistance in extinguishing such fires as may break out accidentally.

(*e*) The lessee shall remove out of the limits of the forest all produce collected under the terms of the lease before the 30th June 1928.

(*f*) Neither the lessee nor his servants shall enter the State Forests either before sunrise or after sunset.

8. In the event of the breach of any of the above conditions, the lease will be liable to be cancelled, and the lessee fined to the extent of Rs. 25 which will be recovered as an arrear of land revenue.

B. MADHAVA RAO,
District Forest Officer.

KADUR DIVISION.

Notification dated 18th August 1928.

Sealed tenders will be received by the District Forest Officer, Kadur Division, Chikmagalur, up to 2 P.M., on the 15th September 1928, for the collection and removal of big and small bamboos, in the undermentioned Forests of the Kadur Division for the year 1928-29 :—

Name of Range	Name of Forest	Bamboos		Remarks
		Big	Small	
Koppa ..	Devadan State Forest ...	5,000	5,000	
	Basavankote do ...	5,000	5,000	
	Halasur do ...	5,000	5,000	
	Basthi do ...	1,000	1,000	
Mudigere ...	Sargode do ...	5,000	5,000	
Kadur	Doddanguda District Forest ...	5,000	5,000	

2 Each tender should be superscribed "Tender for collection and removal of big and small bamboos in the Kadur Division", and the same should be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 50 in currency notes. The rate to be quoted should be per 1,000 bamboos in one or in all forests.

3. The District Forest Officer will be at liberty to accept or reject the lowest or any tenderer without assigning any reason therefor.

4. The tenders received will be submitted to the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga, for approval.

5. Within 15 days from the date of intimation of the fact of approval, the successful tenderer shall pay the full lease amount on the minimum quantities fixed as above at the rates sanctioned or accepted together with local cess at one anna per rupee, railway cess at six pies per rupee and education cess at six pies per rupee, failing which the amount deposited or the whole amount paid already be forfeited to Government and the right resold at the risk of the original tenderer.

6. The lessee should sign the agreement binding himself to observe the following conditions and it should be executed within 15 days, from the date on which, the acceptance of the tender may be intimated to him ; in default the money paid by him will be forfeited to Government and the right disposed of by resale at his risk as defined in para 5. The lessee shall not be allowed to enter the forest and cut bamboos until he has executed the agreement and paid the full amount.

CONDITIONS.

(*a*) The bamboos shall be collected or stored outside the block at such place or places as may be fixed by the Range Officer concerned and allowed to be removed on check by him and after a "permit to remove" is issued. Removal without such permits will be an offence to be dealt with according to law.

(*b*) The lessee shall not cut bamboos outside the limits of the block to which the lease refers nor exploit immature clumps less than two years old.

(*c*) The lessee will be personally responsible for the acts of his agents or servants or coolies in the business of collection and removal of bamboos and for preventing and cutting of clumps under two years, by himself, his agents, servants or coolies.

(*d*) The lessee shall not sell the right purchased by him to other person or persons or appoint any agent or agents to work for him, without obtaining the previous permission in writing of the District Forest Officer.

(*e*) The lessee shall collect and remove the full quantity purchased from the limits of the forest before the end of June 1929. No permission will be granted for cutting and collection of bamboos after the 30th June 1929.

(*f*) The lessee shall accept the minimum quantity fixed in the notification as available in the block or area concerned and shall have no claim on the department for any deficit that may be found. If he removes any quantity above the minimum fixed with the lease period, he will pay for the excess quantity at auction sale rates.

(*g*) The lessee shall abide by such orders as the District Forest Officer may issue regulating the transport of bamboos to and collection at their rafting stations.

(*h*) The lessee will be held responsible for the occurrence of any fire within the forest if there is sufficient ground for the Forest Department to suspect that it was caused by his negligence or by that of his employees.

(*i*) Neither the lessee nor his employees shall enter the forest either before sunrise or after sunset.

(*j*) The lessee shall soon after the sale is confirmed, deposit of Rs. 100 (one hundred only) as security for the due fulfilment of the conditions of the lease. In the event of the breach of any of the above conditions, the money deposited as security shall be forfeited to Government in whole or in parts as the Conservator of Forests may decide and the lease liable to be cancelled.

6. The sale does not prohibit the issue of retail licenses at seigniorage rates or the exercise of the rights of the villagers.

S. VENKATAVARADA IYENGAR,
District Forest Officer.

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT.

BANGALORE DIVISION

Notice dated 25th August 1928.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the Executive Engineer, Sanitary and Town Planning Division, up to 10th September 1928, for "Providing Sanitary Fittings to the New Transformer Station at Mysore". An approximate estimate of quantities is given below. These quantities are not guaranteed. The supplies should be completed by the end of 10th October 1928.

2. Tenders should be submitted on printed forms which may be obtained from the Executive Engineer. The tenders should be accompanied by a statement in the form given below, showing the rates at which the different items specified will be executed.

Description of aritcles	Quantity	Rate

3. Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rupees (one hundered only) 100 in cash or Government Promissory Notes, as an earnest money, and be superscribed "Tender for materials required for Providng Sanitary Fittings to the New Transformer Station at Mysore," in default of which, tenders will be rejected.